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Dear Examiner Dougherty,

A Notice of Allowance was sent on 10/30/03 for this case. I faxed in payment of the Issue Fee on 11/4/03.

The patent has not yet issued. Could you check into this and help me to determine what has happened to it?

Thanks very much,

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